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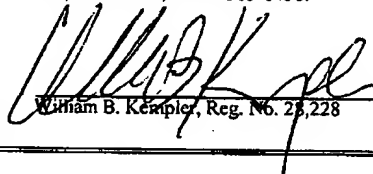
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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Applicant is other than a small entity.

- (a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for other total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 400.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 920.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$ 1,440.00

Fee \$ -0-

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefore.

☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

☐ Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

OR

(b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	15	Minus		= 0	x \$18 =	\$ 0
Independent Claims	2	Minus		= 0	x \$86 =	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMOUNT						\$ 0

(c) ☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

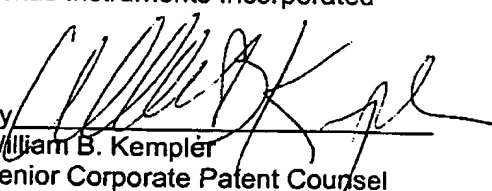
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(d) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$ _____

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Respectfully submitted,
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